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**SECTION 1: Identification****1.1 GHS Product identifier**

Product name Calcium oxide

MF:CaO

**1.2 Other means of identification**
 Product number -  
 Other names Lime, Quicklime; oxocalcium; Calcium oxide
**1.3 Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use**
 Identified uses Industrial and scientific research use.  
 Uses advised against no data available
**1.4 Supplier's details**
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**SECTION 2: Hazard identification****2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**
 Skin irritation, Category 2  
 Serious eye damage, Category 1  
 Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure, Category 3
**2.2 GHS label elements, including precautionary statements**

Pictogram(s)



Signal word

Danger

Hazard statement(s)

 H315 Causes skin irritation  
 H318 Causes serious eye damage  
 H335 May cause respiratory irritation

Precautionary statement(s)

Prevention

 P264 Wash ... thoroughly after handling.  
 P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection/hearing protection/...  
 P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.  
 P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.  
 P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water/...  
 P321 Specific treatment (see ... on this label).  
 P332+P317 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical help.  
 P362+P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.  
 P305+P354+P338 IF IN EYES: Immediately rinse with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
 P317 Get medical help.  
 P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.  
 P319 Get medical help if you feel unwell.

Storage

P403+P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

**Disposal**

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/container to an appropriate treatment and disposal facility in accordance with applicable laws and regulations, and product characteristics at time of disposal.

**2.3 Other hazards which do not result in classification**

no data available

**SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients****3.1 Substances**

Chemical name	Common names and synonyms	CAS number	EC number	Concentration
Calcium oxide	Calcium oxide	1305-78-8	215-138-9	100%

**SECTION 4: First-aid measures****4.1 Description of necessary first-aid measures****If inhaled**

Fresh air, rest. Refer for medical attention.

**Following skin contact**

Remove contaminated clothes. Rinse skin with plenty of water or shower. Refer for medical attention .

**Following eye contact**

First rinse with plenty of water for several minutes (remove contact lenses if easily possible), then refer for medical attention.

**Following ingestion**

Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Give nothing to drink. Refer for medical attention .

**4.2 Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed**

Causes burns on mucous membrane and skin. Inhalation of dust causes sneezing. (USCG, 1999)

**4.3 Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary**

Immediate first aid: Remove patient from contact with the material. Ensure that adequate decontamination has been carried out. If patient is not breathing, start artificial respiration, preferably with a demand valve resuscitator, bag-valve-mask device, or pocket mask, as trained. Perform CPR if necessary. Immediately flush contaminated eyes with gently flowing water. Do not induce vomiting. If vomiting occurs, lean patient forward or place on the left side (head-down position, if possible) to maintain an open airway and prevent aspiration. Keep patient quiet and maintain normal body temperature. Obtain medical attention. /Inorganic Bases/Alkaline Corrosives and Related Compounds/

**SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures****5.1 Suitable extinguishing media**

Extinguish fire using agent suitable for surrounding fire. Use flooding quantities of water as spray. DO NOT use carbon dioxide or halogenated extinguishing agents.

**5.2 Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

Excerpt from ERG Guide 157 [Substances - Toxic and/or Corrosive (Non-Combustible / Water-Sensitive)]: Non-combustible, substance itself does not burn but may decompose upon heating to produce corrosive and/or toxic fumes. For UN1796, UN1826, UN2031 at high concentrations and for UN2032, these may act as oxidizers, also consult ERG Guide 140. Vapors may accumulate in confined areas (basement, tanks, hopper/tank cars, etc.). Substance may react with water (some violently), releasing corrosive and/or toxic gases and runoff. Contact with metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas. Containers may explode when heated or if contaminated with water. (ERG, 2016)

**5.3 Special protective actions for fire-fighters**

In case of fire in the surroundings, use appropriate extinguishing media.

**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures****6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Personal protection: particulate filter respirator adapted to the airborne concentration of the substance. Sweep spilled substance into covered dry containers.

## 6.2 Environmental precautions

Personal protection: particulate filter respirator adapted to the airborne concentration of the substance. Sweep spilled substance into covered dry containers.

## 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

1) Ventilate area of spill. 2) Collect spilled material in most convenient and safe manner and deposit in sealed containers for reclamation or for disposal in secured sanitary landfill.

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## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Handling in a well ventilated place. Wear suitable protective clothing. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Use non-sparking tools. Prevent fire caused by electrostatic discharge steam.

### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Separated from strong acids, organic chemicals, water and food and feedstuffs. Dry. Keep tightly closed and dry.

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## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### Occupational Exposure limit values

TLV: 2 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, as TWA. MAK: (inhalable fraction): 1 mg/m<sup>3</sup>; peak limitation category: I(2); pregnancy risk group: C. EU-OEL: (respirable fraction): 1 mg/m<sup>3</sup> as TWA; 4 mg/m<sup>3</sup> as STEL

#### Biological limit values

no data available

### 8.2 Appropriate engineering controls

Ensure adequate ventilation. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Set up emergency exits and the risk-elimination area.

### 8.3 Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment (PPE)

#### Eye/face protection

Wear safety goggles or eye protection in combination with breathing protection.

#### Skin protection

Protective gloves. Protective clothing.

#### Respiratory protection

Use local exhaust or breathing protection.

#### Thermal hazards

no data available

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## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties and safety characteristics

<b>Physical state</b>	Solid. Powder.
<b>Colour</b>	Beige.
<b>Odour</b>	Odorless
<b>Melting point/freezing point</b>	> 450 °C. Remarks: No significant thermal events were obtained during Determination 1 (atmosphere: air (static)) and Determination 2 (atmosphere: nitrogen). Residue: beige powder.
<b>Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range</b>	2 850 °C. Atm. press.: 101.325 kPa.
<b>Flammability</b>	Noncombustible Solid, but will support combustion by liberation of oxygen.
<b>Lower and upper explosion limit/flammability limit</b>	no data available
<b>Flash point</b>	2850°C
<b>Auto-ignition temperature</b>	> 400 °C.
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	no data available
<b>pH</b>	SATURATED SOLN IN WATER IS ABOUT 12.8
<b>Kinematic viscosity</b>	no data available
<b>Solubility</b>	Reacts with water (NIOSH, 2016)

Partition coefficient n-octanol/water	no data available
Vapour pressure	0 mm Hg (approx) (NIOSH, 2016)
Density and/or relative density	3.31. Temperature:22 °C.
Relative vapour density	no data available
Particle characteristics	no data available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

The solution in water is a medium strong base. Reacts with water. This generates sufficient heat to ignite combustible materials. Reacts violently with acids, halogens and metals.

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Readily absorbs carbon dioxide and water from air, becoming airslaked.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Not combustible, but bulk powder may heat spontaneously when damp with water. A base and an oxidizing agent. Neutralizes acids with generation of heat. Nonflammable, but will support combustion by liberation of oxygen, especially in the presence of organic materials. Reacts very violently with liquid hydrofluoric acid [Mellor 2, Supp. 1:129 1956]. Reacts extremely violently with phosphorus pentoxide when reaction is initiated by local heating [Mellor 8 Supp.3:406 1971].

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

no data available

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Addn of water to quicklime has generated temp as high as 800 deg C. Some reports describe reaction as violent. Ignition of sulfur, gunpowder, wood, and straw by heat of quicklime-water reaction has been reported.

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Decomposition product: calcium hydroxide.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### Acute toxicity

- Oral: LD50 - rat (female) - > 2 000 mg/kg bw.
- Inhalation: LC50 - rat (male/female) - > 6.04 mg/L air (nominal).
- Dermal: LD50 - rabbit (male/female) - > 2 500 mg/kg bw.

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

no data available

#### Serious eye damage/irritation

no data available

#### Respiratory or skin sensitization

no data available

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

no data available

#### Carcinogenicity

no data available

#### Reproductive toxicity

no data available

#### STOT-single exposure

The substance is corrosive to the eyes, skin and respiratory tract. The effects may be delayed. Medical observation is indicated.

#### STOT-repeated exposure

Repeated or prolonged contact with skin may cause dermatitis. Repeated or prolonged inhalation of dust particles may cause effects on the lungs. Repeated or prolonged inhalation may cause nasal ulceration. This



may result in perforation of the nasal septum.

#### Aspiration hazard

Evaporation at 20°C is negligible; a harmful concentration of airborne particles can, however, be reached quickly when dispersed.

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## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Toxicity

- Toxicity to fish: LC50 - *Oncorhynchus mykiss* (previous name: *Salmo gairdneri*) - 50.6 mg/L - 96 h.
- Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: EC50 - *Daphnia magna* - 49.1 mg/L - 48 h.  
Remarks: From regression curve.
- Toxicity to algae: EC50 - *Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata* (previous names: *Raphidocelis subcapitata*, *Selenastrum capricornutum*) - 184.57 mg/L - 72 h.
- Toxicity to microorganisms: EC50 - activated sludge of a predominantly domestic sewage - 300.4 mg/L - 3 h. Remarks: Respiration rate.

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

no data available

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

no data available

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

no data available

### 12.5 Other adverse effects

no data available

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## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Disposal methods

#### Product

The material can be disposed of by removal to a licensed chemical destruction plant or by controlled incineration with flue gas scrubbing. Do not contaminate water, foodstuffs, feed or seed by storage or disposal. Do not discharge to sewer systems.

#### Contaminated packaging

Containers can be triply rinsed (or equivalent) and offered for recycling or reconditioning. Alternatively, the packaging can be punctured to make it unusable for other purposes and then be disposed of in a sanitary landfill. Controlled incineration with flue gas scrubbing is possible for combustible packaging materials.

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## SECTION 14: Transport information

### 14.1 UN Number

ADR/RID: UN1910 (For reference only, please check.)

IMDG: UN1910 (For reference only, please check.)

IATA: UN1910 (For reference only, please check.)

### 14.2 UN Proper Shipping Name

ADR/RID: CALCIUM OXIDE (For reference only, please check.)

IMDG: CALCIUM OXIDE (For reference only, please check.)

IATA: CALCIUM OXIDE (For reference only, please check.)

### 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID: 8 (For reference only, please check.)

IMDG: 8 (For reference only, please check.)

IATA: 8 (For reference only, please check.)

### 14.4 Packing group, if applicable

ADR/RID: III (For reference only, please check.)

IMDG: III (For reference only, please check.)

IATA: III (For reference only, please check.)

### 14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR/RID: No

IMDG: No

IATA: No

### 14.6 Special precautions for user

no data available

## 14.7 Transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

no data available

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations specific for the product in question

Chemical name	Common names and synonyms	CAS number	EC number
Calcium oxide	Calcium oxide	1305-78-8	215-138-9
European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)			Listed.
EC Inventory			Listed.
United States Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory			Listed.
China Catalog of Hazardous chemicals 2015			Not Listed.
New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC)			Listed.
Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)			Listed.
Vietnam National Chemical Inventory			Listed.
Chinese Chemical Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances (China IECSC)			Listed.
Korea Existing Chemicals List (KECL)			Listed.

## SECTION 16: Other information

### Information on revision

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### Abbreviations and acronyms

- CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service
- ADR: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
- RID: Regulation concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail
- IMDG: International Maritime Dangerous Goods
- IATA: International Air Transportation Association
- TWA: Time Weighted Average
- STEL: Short term exposure limit
- LC50: Lethal Concentration 50%
- LD50: Lethal Dose 50%
- EC50: Effective Concentration 50%

### References

- IPCS - The International Chemical Safety Cards (ICSC), website: <http://www.ilo.org/dyn/icsc/showcard.home>
- HSDB - Hazardous Substances Data Bank, website: <https://toxnet.nlm.nih.gov/newtoxnet/hsdb.htm>
- IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer, website: <http://www.iarc.fr/>
- eChemPortal - The Global Portal to Information on Chemical Substances by OECD, website: [http://www.echemportal.org/echemportal/index?pageID=0&request\\_locale=en](http://www.echemportal.org/echemportal/index?pageID=0&request_locale=en)
- CAMEO Chemicals, website: <http://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/search/simple>
- ChemIDplus, website: <http://chem.sis.nlm.nih.gov/chemidplus/chemidlite.jsp>
- ERG - Emergency Response Guidebook by U.S. Department of Transportation, website: <http://www.phmsa.dot.gov/hazmat/library/erg>
- Germany GESTIS-database on hazard substance, website: <http://www.dguv.de/ifa/gestis/gestis-stoffdatenbank/index-2.jsp>
- ECHA - European Chemicals Agency, website: <https://echa.europa.eu/>

### Other Information

Reacts violently with fire extinguishing agents such as water. Clumps of calcium oxide formed by reaction with moisture and proteins in the eye are difficult to remove by irrigation. Manual removal by a physician is necessary. NEVER pour water into this substance; when dissolving or diluting always add it slowly to the water.

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